BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated 26th June 1913.

It is hereby notified that Rs. 13-2-7, being the lighting charges for June 1911, due to one Kuppusami Mudaliar, lighting contractor of Vadigenhalli Town, Bangalore District, remains unpaid. If the above amount is not claimed before the Amildar of Devanhalli Taluk, within a month from the date of this notification it will lapse to Municipal Funds.

K. CHANDY,
Deputy Commissioner.

KOLAR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 4th July 1913.

It is hereby notified that the right of collecting minor forest produce in the State Forests, Reserved Lands and District Forests including all unassessed lands of the Kolar District as noted below, for the year 1913-14, will be sold by public auction talukwar, hobliwar, babwar, or otherwise by the Amildars in conjunction with the Range Officers concerned, on the dates and at the places noted below. The sales will commence at 12 noon on the days appointed :—

No.	Name of taluk	Date of sale	Place of sale
1	Malur	24th September 1913 ...	Taluk Cutcherry.
2	Bowringpet	27th do ...	
3	Kolar	30th do ...	
4	Mulbagal	30th do ...	
5	Srinivaspur	24th do ...	
6	Chintamani	27th do ...	
7	Sidlaghatta	27th do ...	
8	Chikballapur	24th do ...	
9	Goribidnur	30th do ...	
10	Gudibanda Sub-Taluk... ...	27th do ...	
11	Bagepalli	24th do ...	

(*a*) Description of produce in State Forests and Reserved Lands :—

1. Tamarind fruit.
2. Honge seed with leaves.
3. Sigekayi.
4. Gum.
5. Honey.
6. Bees-wax.
7. Kapilarang.
8. Cashew-nut.
9. Wood-apple.
10. Lichens.
11. Maradi bija or charpoppu.
12. Tarekayi.
13. Paplichekke, except in Royalpod forests which will be sold separately.
14. Gall-nut
15. Bevu seeds.
16. Ippe seeds.
17. Mango fruits.
18. The sitaphal and lac are excluded.

(*b*) Description of produce in District Forests and unassessed lands :—

1. Gum.
2. Honey.
3. Bees-wax.
4. Kapilarang.
5. Cashew-nut.
6. Wood-apple.
7. Lichens.
8. Maradi bija or charpoppu.
9. Tarekayi.
10. Alalekayi.
11. Paplichekke except Royalpod which will be sold separately.
12. Antavalakai.

Produce mentioned in para 6 of the notification are excluded and also lac and sitaphal.

Note.—Items will be sold severally or *en masse* at the discretion of the officers conducting the sales.

2. The highest bidder shall, immediately, on the sale being knocked down to him, pay one-fourth of the lease amount, failing which, the produce is liable to be resold at once at his risk, and he will be bound to make good all loss which may arise therefrom, and the same shall be recovered as a revenue demand; but he shall not participate in any profit. The balance of the purchase money shall be paid within one week from the date on which the confirmation of the sale may be intimated to him, failing which, the one-fourth deposit already paid shall be forfeited to Government, and he shall loose all his claim to the produce. On

paying the full lease amount, he will be required to execute a mutchalika specifying the terms contained in paras 4 to 9 of the notification, in the absence of which the lessee will not be permitted to collect the produce. Local cess at the rate of one anna per rupee will be charged in addition on the lease amount.

3. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Deputy Commissioner, who does not bind himself to accept the highest bid or to resign any reason whatever for the rejection of such bid.

4. The contractor shall have no right to the produce of trees standing on occupied lands and in private topes.

5. He shall not interfere with the recognized rights of Inamdars.

6. The village amarayi, namely, honge, hunase, sigekayi, mango, ippe and bevu in all unoccupied assessed lands of the village, including all avenue trees, village topes, camping grounds and village sites, is not included in the above sales. These will be sold and disposed of separately by the Amildars of respective taluks.

7. The contractor shall not injure trees in any way on the plea of collecting the produce.

8. He shall not collect produce not sold to him.

9. Any contraventions to the terms specified in paras 4 to 10 above will make the purchaser liable to prosecutions under Forest Rules, or to such penalty as may be ordered by the Deputy Commissioner.

10. Officers holding the sales are empowered to close or adjourn the sales if reasonable offers are not secured.

G. KRISHNAMURTI NAYUDU,
For *Deputy Commissioner*.

SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

TANGADI AND KAKKE BARKS.

Notification dated 3rd July 1913.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the office of the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, up to 24th July 1913, for the purchase of the exclusive privilege of collecting Tangadi (*Cassia auriculata*) and kakke (*Cassia fistula*) barks of Channagiri and Shikarpur Taluks of the Shimoga District for the years 1913-15, excluding the State Forests and Plantations.

2. Tenders should specify the name of the taluks and the price offered for each.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 (fifty) for each taluk in currency-notes as earnest money, in default of which, tenders will be rejected. Cover containing the tenders should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, and should be duly registered insured and superscribed "Tender for Tangadi and Kakke barks."

4. The final acceptance of any tender will rest with the Deputy Commissioner, who does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

5. Tenders will be opened by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, at 2 P.M., on the 24th July 1913, in the presence of such of the tenderers as may be present.

6. The acceptance of the tender will be forthwith communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of the rest will be returned to them.

7. Each tenderer should give his address in full in the tender itself.

8. Within three days of receipt of notice of the acceptance of the tender, the successful tenderer shall credit into the Government Treasury the balance of the lease amount with local cess at one anna per rupee on the full sale amount, excluding the earnest money already paid, in default of which, the acceptance will be cancelled, the earnest money forfeited and the right resold.

9. Sales effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting competitor, who will forfeit all gain, and in the event of a loss by the sale, shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the tender and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the resale. If the deficit be not paid, it will be recovered as a revenue demand.

10. The successful tenderer or the lessee should work up the lease himself, and if he wishes to transfer it to others, he shall obtain the sanction in writing of the Deputy Commissioner, who will have power to insist upon the payment of a premium for granting the same.

11. The successful tenderer or the lessee shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions herein mentioned and it should be executed within seven days from